



# Community Resource Centers Overview and Update

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Board of County Commissioners  
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# Bringing Mecklenburg County to You

- **BMC2U** facilities master plan is to provide customer centric service locations directly targeting the needs of individual communities and populations

## What are Community Resource Centers (CRCs) ?

- **CRCs** are bringing together community focused services, including a centralized and integrated HHS program





# OUR PROMISE

Mecklenburg County Health & Human Services

*Community Resource Centers*



# OUR PROMISE



Ensure the basic needs of individuals and families are met and they have the resources to achieve greater economic independence and thrive.



Improve individual and family wellness, and support physical, mental, and emotional health through education and practice.



Cultivate opportunities for individuals, families, and communities to connect and partner with essential services, advancing a safe and high quality of life.



# GUIDING PRINCIPLES

*Strengthen Individuals & Families, Promote Health & Wellness, Build Community*



# Social Determinants



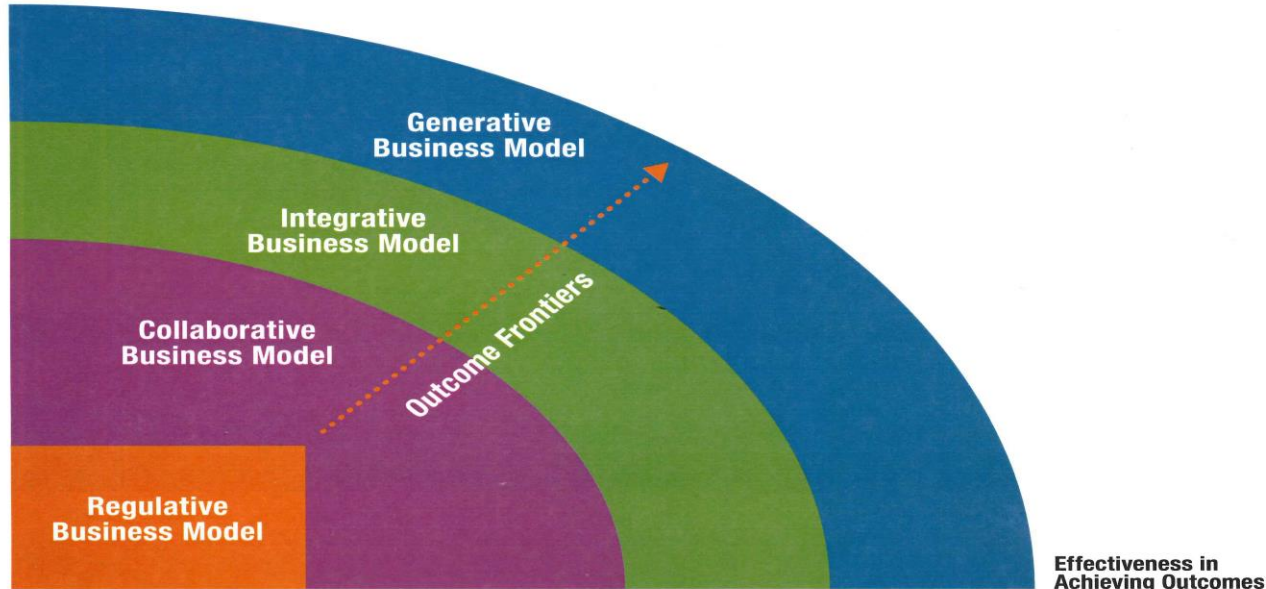
# Biggest Ecosystem Enablers



# Service Delivery Model

## The Human Services Value Curve

Efficiency in  
Achieving Outcomes



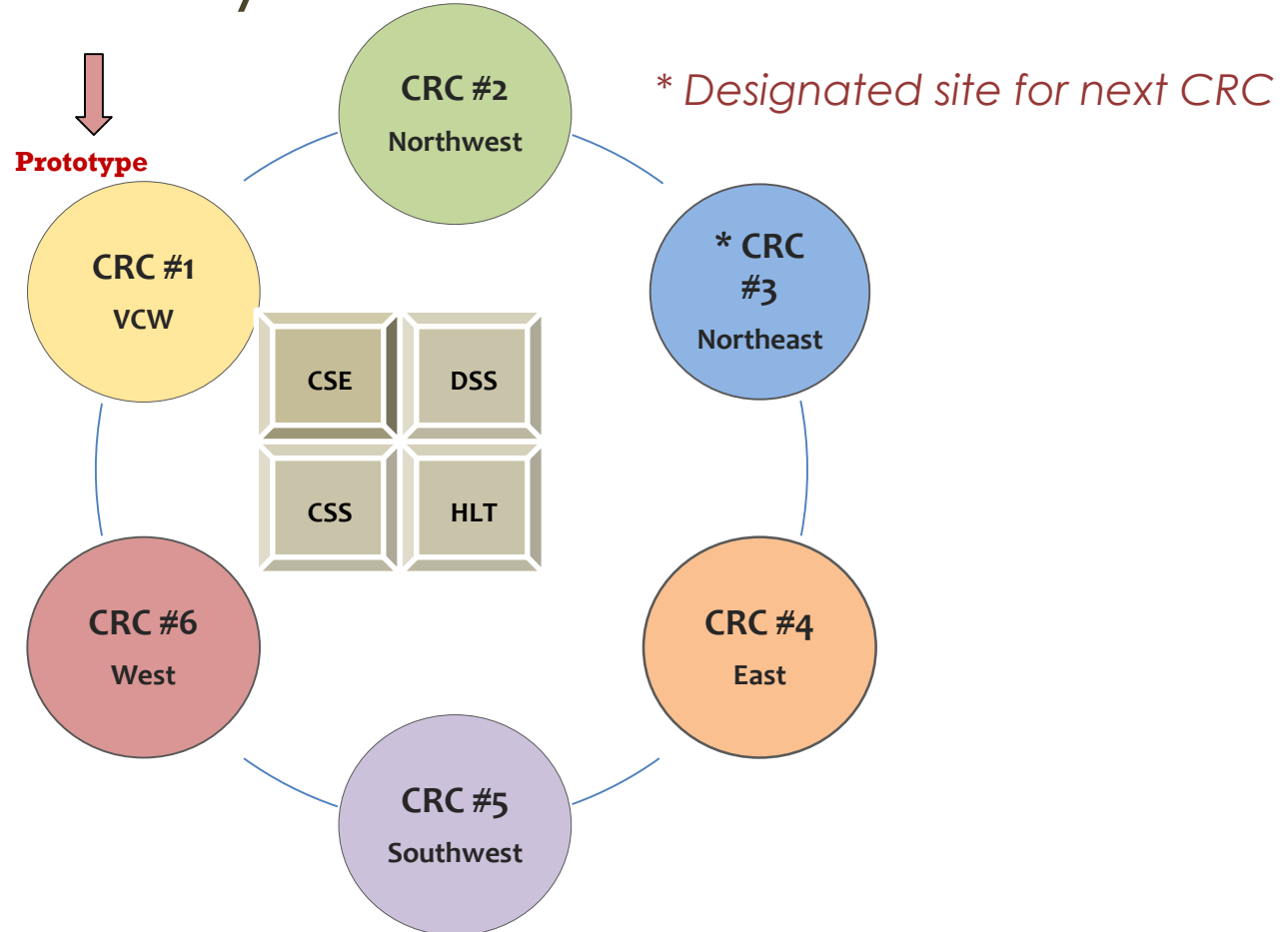
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# Community Resource Centers



# Services in the Prototype CRC at VCW



# CRC Program Development



# CRC Program Development

## Community Engagement

- Conducted Roadshows with:
  - Neighborhood Leaders
  - Faith Community
  - Non-profit Organizations
  - Civic Groups & Business Leaders

## Staffing for CRC Prototype

- Identified positions needed for relocation, created & filled new leadership positions, developed training plans for staff

## Policies & Governance

- Documented policy, reviewed with Legal team & HHS Leadership
- Developed Governance Charter to drive roles, responsibilities and relationships of HHS Leadership

## Facility Design & Construction

- Continue to work with AFM on design and components for the CRC



# CRC Program Development

## Workflow/Process Design

- Workflow processes developed
- Created a Service Evaluation Tool to assist Residents in locating County Programs

## Multiple Service Channels

- Created plans for easy access to service created to streamline web presence for HHS services

## Business/System Architecture

- Developed CRC Technology vision
- Assisting ITS with solution design

## Change Management

- Working with Learning & Development to provide Change Management training and assistance to staff



# CRC Program Development

## External Benchmarking

- Working with PI to communicate plans with our external stakeholders and community members

## External Benchmarking

- Worked with SP&E to identify external County's with similar CRC projects for benchmarking
- Identified Best Practice strategies, methodologies & opportunities to leverage technology

## Mailroom

- Developed CRC Technology vision
- Assisting ITS with solution design

## Development of Additional CRC's

- The next Community Resource Center will be located at N. Tryon Street/Eastway Drive in Northeast Charlotte



# Governance Model

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Mecklenburg  
County Manager

**Health & Human Services**  
**Anthony Trotman**

Asst. County Manager

**Public  
Health**

**Gibbie Harris**  
Director

**Community  
Support Services**

**Stacy Lowry**  
Director

**Community  
Resources**

**Rodney Adams**  
Director

**Social  
Services**

**Peggy Eagan**  
Director

**Child Support  
Enforcement**

**Joan Kennedy**  
Director

**Behavioral  
Health**

**Dennis Knasel**  
Div. Director

**Community  
Resources**

**Yulonda D. Griffin**  
Asst. Director



# Service Evaluation Tool





# Service Evaluation Tool Overview

- The service evaluation tool (SET)
  - Allows customers to answer a set of concise and comprehensive questions, which results in a personalized overview of information and descriptions of Health & Human Services (H&HS) they may be potentially eligible for
- The service evaluation tool is:
  - Optional
  - Anonymous
  - Flexible to changing service policies
  - May be completed at multiple points in the process

Accessible online via computer or mobile device  
May access tool offsite  
(home, library, via community partner, etc.)

May access tool onsite of any point during visit  
(with no navigator, computer lab, etc.)



# Service Evaluation Tool Overview

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YFuVYvZyetU&feature=youtu.be>

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# CRC Customer Experience



# Customer Experience

## Facility and Workflow Goals

- No Lines
- Personal Greeting
- Open and Friendly Environment
- Electronic Check-In
- Expedited Process for Simple Transactions
- Cross Service Coordination
- Access to Partner Agencies



# CRC Prototype Design



# Technology



Mecklenburg County - Health and Human Services

## Welcome to the Mecklenburg County Community Resource Center

Please select the primary reason for your visit today.

Make a Payment

Drop-off Documents

Pick-up EBT Card

Do you have an appointment?

Yes

Do you need an interpreter?

No

Food & Nutrition  
Service (SNAP)

Women, Infants &  
Children (WIC)

Child Support  
Enforcement

Medicaid

Immunizations

Veteran Services

Work First

Family Planning

Other

Program Integrity  
(Fraud)

Substance Abuse  
(QPSA)

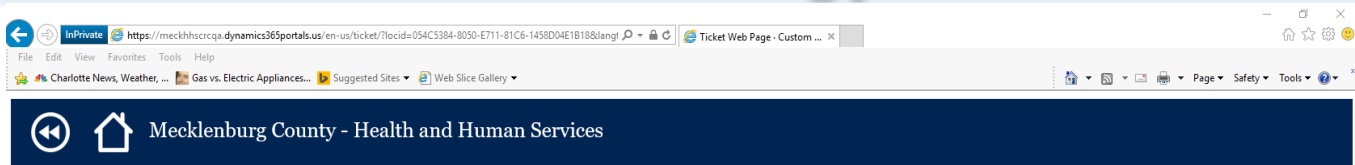
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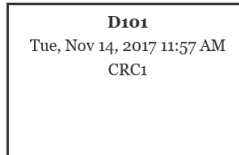
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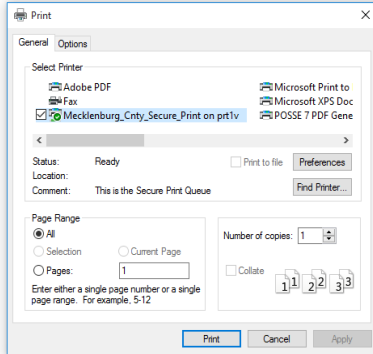


## Ticket

Please take your printed ticket. Proceed to waiting room.



During your visit please retain  
your ticket



# Technology



## Would you like to receive a text notification when your ticket is called for service?

Please note that by entering your Mobile # below you authorize Mecklenburg County to deliver text messages using an automatic messaging system. Entering your Mobile # is NOT required to receive services at this Community Resource Center. Msg & Data rates may apply.

☐ Notify me using SMS

Mobile Phone #

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## Construction - CRC Entrance







SERVICE POINTS

NEIGH  
A

HOOD

CASHIER

SCANNING





















Rendering - Healthy Vending Cafe  
with Health Neighborhood in back







**Interview Neighborhood**





# Rendering - Ashley Wing Entry Plaza







# Questions



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